

## Probers Told \$85,000 Spent on Dave Beck

By HERBERT FOSTER AND  
JOHN A. GOLDSMITH  
WASHINGTON, (UP) — A Chicago labor relations consultant testified today that he spent \$85,000 of Teamsters union money on a host of items ranging from nylon hose to love seats for Teamsters boss Dave Beck and his son.

The consultant, Nathan W. Shefferman, told the Senate Rackets committee he didn't know the \$85,000 came out of the union treasury until income tax investigators discovered it had. He said he paid the bills and, as it turned out, was reimbursed by the union.

Here were other developments of today's session:

—A statement by Beck to reporters that he expects to be prosecuted on income tax charges. He said that at that time all the questions he has refused to answer will come before a court of law and will be answered freely.

—Another Beck statement, made during a recess in today's session, that Shefferman also made purchases for William Green, late AFL president, and many others because he was able to buy at discounts.

—The reading by Shefferman of a long list of items he bought for

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## Labor, Welfare Slash Drive Is Underway

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON, (AP) — A drive to cut \$75 to 100 million dollars more from funds proposed for the Labor and Welfare departments was off to a successful, though modest start today in the House.

Rep. Smith (D-Va.) told the House yesterday that was the goal of a series of amendments to cut still further amounts recommended by a House Appropriations subcommittee. That group already had slashed \$118,774,700 from President Eisenhower's budget requests.

Over Appropriations, Committee objections, the House tentatively cut \$416,300 from committee-recommended funds for the Labor department.

Only a few relatively minor amendments were involved in yesterday's action, but several scores of amendments were readied today to chop some of the biggest items still to be considered.

Objective of the cutting drive is to deny federal agencies any more money for the coming fiscal year than they had this year, except for mandatory increases made necessary by recent congressional action. One effect would be to force the agencies to abandon some plans for expansion of personnel.

Smith and Rep. Budge (R-Idaho) offered the four amendments adopted yesterday subject to final voting. The action was taken with only 100 yeas and 100 nays.

The amendments were opposed by Rep. Fogarty (D-R.I.), chairman of the subcommittee that crafted the bill. He contended the

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# SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

## Calendar

Thursday March 28  
Club Scouts Pack 62 will meet Thursday at 7 p. m. in Garland School Auditorium.

The Ladies Bridge Luncheon at Hope Country Club will be Thursday, March 28 at 12:30. Hostesses are Mrs. Fred Ellis, Mrs. John Gardner, Mrs. C. Lynn Harris and Mrs. Sam Strong.

Mrs. W. E. Harris  
Hostess To P. E. O. Sisterhood

P. E. O. Sisterhood was entertained in the lovely home of Mrs. W. E. Harris on Tuesday afternoon. The entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated with varied arrangements of spring flowers.

The highlight of the program was the installation of a new member, Mary Charlene Horton into the sisterhood. Mrs. Franklin Horton reported on the installation service of a new chapter in Little Rock that she participated in.

After routine business the hostess assisted by co-hostess, Mrs. C. W. Nunn Sr., served pie and coffee to the 18 members.

Joint Meeting  
For Pansy and Iris Garden Clubs of Oglesby School  
The Pansy and Iris Garden Clubs of Oglesby School held a joint meeting Monday, March 18, in the school auditorium, with the president, David Waddle, presiding. After the reading of the minutes.

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## Lizzie Borden Murder Still a Mystery

By CHARLES MERCER

NEW YORK (AP)—Everybody has favorite murder mysteries. One of mine is the Lizzie Borden case. Did this 32-year-old spinster seize a hatchet one hot August day in 1892 and slay her father and step-mother in their Fall River, Mass. home? The burden of circumstantial evidence indicates that she did. But a jury found her innocent.

The fascinating sequence of events was brilliantly retold on Omnibus (ABC-TV). First her trial was dramatized, with some stage, dry comments by the noted Boston lawyer Joseph N. Welch, who has long been interested in the case. Then Agnes de Miller presented her own interpretation of the case in her beautiful and evocative ballet Fall River Legend.

Perhaps the murders of Andrew and Abby Borden received such international and enduring interest because they were the subject of a ballad—and many variations on that ballad. The case has, in effect, become a legend.

Personally I've been familiar with the legend since childhood because my father's family lived in Fall River for many years. My grandfather knew Andrew Borden and never tired of discussing the case. My father recalls seeing Lizzie ride out in a carriage when he was a small boy. He remembers with a grimace the insensibility of youth, how he and other boys would run after the carriage of the shunned woman chanting, "Andy Borden, he is dead; Lizzie chopped him on the head. As he now says, Surely Lizzie was punished."

The Omnibus dramatization, chewing carefully to the line of court records, indicated Lizzie was guilty — though many lawyers would quickly point out our reasonable doubt on the basis of evidence admitted to the trial. As Welch said, the jury could scarcely do other than find her innocent. But why, for example, did the court find inadmissible the testimony of the clerk from whom Lizzie tried to buy poison?

## Hal Boyle

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Worth, a sequel to her best-selling Ill Cry Tomorrow. She also has signed to write a syndicated column three times a week in which she will answer the problems of readers. She is nearly set for 10 weeks of summer stock in the stage version of Mildred Pierce. And in the fall she starts a nationwide lecture tour.

The lectures will be on the inspirational side, based on her philosophy that Sorrow is the common denominator that brings all people together. There is no one who hasn't known sorrow, and no one who can't smile later. She knows the road back by the feel of all the rocks along the way. She took her last drink of booze on June 28, 1946, but it wasn't until 1951 that she could really face an audience again.

Even after she did regain her voice and confidence, theatrical agents tended to regard her as a hit-and-run freak. One told her to her face: You're too old for a comeback.

Lillian often visits prisons, corresponds with many prisoners who hope to find a way back to respectability.

People used to cry when they met me because of their sympathy for my problem. Now, instead, they cry over their own problems, she said.

I've become their ear to bend. And that is a wonderful feeling—to give sympathy, instead of needing it yourself.

There were over eleven million visitors to Arkansas in 1956, an increase of 72 per cent over 1948. The yearly increase since 1948 has averaged 9 percent.

den Club met in the home of Mrs. Karl Zogg with Mrs. J. B. Martin as co-hostess.

Lovely arrangements of spring flowers decorated the entertaining rooms of the Zogg home.

The meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Billy Dan Jones, and plans and discussions formulated for the Spring Flower Show.

Mrs. Carol Yocum won the traveling prize for her line arrangement.

The hostesses served chocolate sundaes and iced drinks to those present.

## Baby Doll's Baby Doll In 'Baby Doll' Topical Topic



Which came first, the nightie or the name?

This was the question posed to young Carroll Baker who wears the nightie and bears the name of "Baby Doll" in Elia Kazan's production of Tennessee Williams' boldest story.

As the saleslady in any ladies' lingerie shop will verify, a Baby Doll is the name given to a breezy bit of bedclothes which functions as a nightgown. It resembles an old-fashioned nightgown in the way a bikini bathing suit looks like a milky's bathing attire at the turn of the century. A Baby Doll, of the sort worn by nineteen-year-old "Baby Doll" of the film, begins in a whisper about the neck and ends in a whistle at the thigh. It is made of lightweight lace with enough

delicacy to make it decorative and the precise amount of reinforcement to make it decorative.

The question about the origin of the name remained unanswered, but it is reported from Benoit, Mississippi, where "Baby Doll" was filmed from the original screenplay by Tennessee Williams. Baby Dolls, in name, have been popular far longer than the abbreviated nightgown. But there can't be anything more popular than a "Baby Doll" wearing a Baby Doll.

"Baby Doll" stars Karl Malden, Miss Baker, Eli Wallach and Mildred Dunnock is seen in an important supporting role. The film is a New Town Production presented by Warner Bros. at the Sanger Theater today and Thursday.

## DOROTHY DIX

### Blackmailing Stepfather Has Young Wife Scared

Dear Dorothy Dix: I'm a married woman of 28, no children, with a husband who is a good provider but very mean and jealous. My father died when I was small, and my mother remarried a few years ago.

Before my marriage, I went with a man who claimed to be single, but wasn't. When I learned the truth, I broke off with him at once. My stepfather knows about the married man I went with, and threatens to tell my husband, unless I accept him as a sweetheart. Of course, I threaten to tell my mother what a louse her husband is, but I know the truth would break her heart.

I spoke to my pastor, who can suggest no solution. I'd move, but my husband doesn't want to go and my stepfather says he'll follow me anywhere. MRS. Q.

Dear Mrs. Q.: Naturally you're afraid of your stepfather, and as long as he can play on that fear, he'll continue to torment you. Stand up to him, and he'll crumble, like the coward he is! Apparently he likes his home and the standing he has in the community, and is much too vain to risk the loss of his reputation. Actually, he has more to lose than you have, since

your marriage isn't particularly happy or successful.

A threat to tell your mother or the police, made with decision and conviction, will almost certainly keep him away. You might seek advice from the branch of the Family Service Association nearest you. Look them up in the telephone book and you'll receive kind and sympathetic help.

Dear Dorothy Dix: My fiancé wants to work in Labrador. I don't feel this would be a suitable place to raise children. He refuses to change his mind, on the grounds that he will advance more rapidly there. What should I do? DONNA

Dear Donna: Let your fiancé try the deep freeze first. He'll come scuttling back to a warm climate in short order. Labrador is a good place for the rugged. Your fiancé seems simply to be restless.

Dear Dorothy Dix: Would you please print this as a warning to other girls? I'm 18, and have been going with a married man of 42 for nearly two years. His wife was in a sanitarium. Suddenly he went up to see her, confessed everything, and wrote that he

## President Warns

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those being put into the mutual security field.

Eisenhower spent a good part of his half-hour news conference expounding his views regarding demands in Congress for substantial reductions in the budget for the fiscal year starting July 1.

Over and over, he expressed the view that substantial reductions would mean elimination or drastic curtailment of important programs.

He did go on to say that there must be some action in connection with the states, for example—where it may be possible to save some money.

Eisenhower also spoke again of wiping out the postal deficit, a plug for his proposal to raise mail rates.

This was Eisenhower's first news conference since he returned last weekend from Bermuda talks with Britain's Prime Minister Macmillan.

Several of the questions put to him dealt with those negotiations. Eisenhower went to Bermuda

## Two Americans Are Murdered in Iran

TEHRAN (AP)—Two American aid officials were murdered and the wife of one of them kidnapped when bandits attacked their cars Sunday night, Gen. Alinaghi Golpiri, commander in chief of the Iranian police, announced today.

Golpiri said two Iranians also were killed in the incident.

The U. S. Embassy withheld identification of the Americans but one source said the dead were: Kevin M. Carroll, 37, of Issaquah, Wash., a Point Four area development adviser for Kerman, Iran, since 1954;

Brewster A. Wilson, 35, of Portland, Ore., Block development specialist of the Near East Foundation and contractor for the International Cooperation Administration in Iran.

Golpiri said the kidnapped woman was Carroll's wife, the former Anita Hoover of Issaquah.

The general said the party was driving in two cars from Iran toward the Persian Gulf, when the bandits attacked. He said the Americans exchanged fire with their attackers for nearly an hour, but the bandits finally reached the cars and attacked the occupants with knives.

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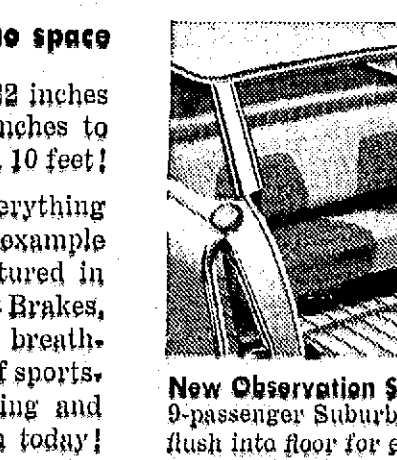


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## January 1 Tax Reduction Aim of Demos

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP)—Democratic leaders were reported today laying the groundwork today for a Jan. 1, 1958, income tax reduction based on cuts they hope to make in President Eisenhower's spending budget.

The Democratic plan, said to be under consideration by Speaker of the House Rayburn (D-Tex.) and other leaders, appeared aimed at beating the Republicans to the election year political punch on both economy and tax cuts.

If Congress forces the substantial reductions in Eisenhower's \$1,500,000,000 spending program that some Democrats hope for, they are expected to produce for action in the current session a bill which would cut back individual income taxes at the beginning of next year.

Individuals might benefit by a 10 per cent cut under such a measure. Business would get similar reductions six months later. A bill now before the Senate would extend high corporation and excise levies until June 1958.

Senate Republicans have talked hopefully of tax cuts next year. But they have been in general agreement that such reductions should be voted only after there are specific indications of a sizeable Treasury surplus.

Some Republicans who have heard of the Democratic plan were understood to be urging Ei-

## NATO to Build Own Communication Lines

PARIS (AP)—NATO disclosed plans today to build its own telecommunications system, including an early warning radar network to alert its forces to enemy attack.

At present early warning is a responsibility of individual NATO nations.

A statement issued here said NATO had decided to put the equivalent of 630 million dollars more into additional airfields, and the telecommunications system. High military priority was given the telecommunications project.

The decision was taken nearly three weeks ago, but disclosed only today after agreement by the 15 NATO members on details.

The additional sum brings the amount approved for NATO's infrastructure program between 1951 and 1952. The U.S. portion of the new figure is something less than 40 per cent, or about 250 million dollars.

Eisenhower to revise his spending budget to enable the GOP members to take advantage of the public clamor for governmental economy.

Eisenhower discussed the budget at a White House conference with key officials yesterday but there was no indication that any administration revision plan would be forthcoming. White House press secretary James C. Hagerty described the meeting as part of a continuing study we always have of the budget.

## France May Also Get U. S. A-Weapon

By JACK BELL

WASHINGTON (AP)—An expected request from France for guided missile armament similar to that promised Great Britain appeared likely today to get sympathetic consideration from President Eisenhower.

Sen. Hennings (D-Mo.) said the possibility of transferring such missiles to France came up yesterday at a White House meeting in which Eisenhower briefed congressional leaders on the Bermuda conference.

In Bermuda Eisenhower agreed with British Prime Minister Macmillan that the United States will furnish Britain guided missiles capable of carrying atomic warheads. The understanding is these warheads would be stored in Britain under American custody, since U. S. law now forbids the sharing of atomic weapons with this country's allies.

Hennings said he gained the impression at yesterday's conference that Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles expect Premier Mollet to propose similar arrangements affecting France.

Other sources said such a request probably would receive sympathetic consideration from Eisenhower as a means of bolstering the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's defensive strength and of showing up U. S. relations with its principal allies.

Chairman Bridges (R-NH) of

## The Rare Adventure by BERNARD FERGUSON

THE STORY: Allan Lorg has been persuaded Captain Billon of the French Gendarmerie that he is the Frenchman who has been hiding up in the hills near the police headquarters.

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"Good," said Billon. "I wanted to take up a position in a small Berber farm up on the hillside, but Tuhi has forbidden me to leave this building. I wonder if the Colonel would walk around it with me, and consult with me, his defense?"

All leaped at the chance. Mile after mile he had to help organize this upstairs room for the long night ahead.

Billon led Allan cautiously onto the balcony, which ran round the Gendarmerie roof, with a four-foot parapet as protection.

Billon shrugged his shoulders. "I have no sandbags. But I have set some of my policemen—I have 40 altogether—to drag the steel cabinets and all the beds downstairs, or from the rooms at the back of the building, to make barricades across the lower windows at the front. And others are putting wire across the street and in the gardens of neighboring buildings, so that the enemy will find it more difficult to rush us. And others are quickly cutting down the bushes in the gardens of the hospital and the houses opposite. I am having buckets of water filled and placed about the building everywhere in case of fire."

"Will you please come down again," said Allan, "so that my wife can interpret? I don't want to make any mistake."

Billon nodded, and repeated all that he had said in front of Molle, adding:

"Tell the Colonel, as to that I have allotted alarm posts and divided my 40 men into sections of 10 men each."

Allan thought a little, and then put a series of questions through Molle.

"Have we any automatic weapons? How many rifles and pistols?"

"One rifle and one pistol for each man, and a few spares; six submachine guns; two tear-gas guns. That is all except for some flare pistols. But I think plenty of ammunition."

"What is on the other side of these walls, round the garden here?"

"On either side, more gardens; at the foot there, a narrow lane. So we shall have to watch this side pretty closely too."

I have four portable searchlights; I am putting one at each corner of the balcony."

Make it quite clear to him, Molle, in your beautiful French, that he is to give me orders; I don't want requests, I want orders."

Molle did so, and Billon said: "Very good. Please inspect the setting of the searchlights."

And when I have done that, may I look around the neighboring houses and lanes?"

Take Sergeant Hamelid along."

"Very well," Allan said to Hamelid, when he had completed his survey from the balcony, "we will go out first by the hospital, round by the lane at the back, down toward the town gate, and back through the gardens opposite. I will go first, and I want you to follow a few paces behind; keep me in sight, and keep looking up at the rooftop and to each flank. In case there is anybody hiding who might have a shot at us."

Hamelid signified that he understood; and Allan, thrusting into the band of his shorts the automatic pistol which Billon had given him, set off down the stairs. Only 30 yards separated the hospital from the Gendarmerie.

Allan could not help wondering what would happen to the wretched patients if real fighting broke out during the night. He could see through the windows native nurses in white overalls moving about among the beds. It was only a small building; it seemed to consist of four wards, each with about 20 beds, and not all of them occupied, but it was near enough to run a real risk from stray bullets.

Encouraged by the generally peaceful atmosphere, Allan decided to push on in the direction of the town gate, keeping well in to the side of the pavement.

It was while they were at the back of the hotel that they heard the sound of a car; and Allan guessed that it was Billon's car, returning from his mission to the airfield. He wondered whether it had brought Brisebarre the manager with it, and how much help Brisebarre was likely to be.

The sun had not far to travel when Allan and Hamelid crossed the road from the hotel to the hospital and so along to the front door of the Gendarmerie. He had been away less than 40 minutes, but he was returning much more confidently than he had set out. He thanked and dismissed Hamelid.

With Billon was Brisebarre, and the Senate Republican Policy Committee one of the White House conferees, already has suggested publicly the transfer of such weapons to France. Bridges said he would approve, giving guided missiles also to West Germany and other NATO allies.

Dulles was reported to have done most of the talking at yesterday's White House meeting. Hennings said Eisenhower opened the discussion with the remark his voice was not strong enough for sustained discussion.

## Rail Union Plans to Fight Katy

CINCINNATI (AP)—The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks plans to fight through the railway adjustment board personnel changes in the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad that it says costs the jobs of about 1,000 union clerks.

That's the report of James L. Dyer, executive assistant to the union president, who said last night the company has stealthily abandoned offices and shifted records at night to other parts of the country.

Dyer said the union has started grievance action that may eventually involve several million dollars.

He said the changes, also involving shop workers, have cropped up since the Katy's new president, W. N. Deramus, took over in January.

He violated not only our agreements but those with other crafts as well," Dyer said. He makes all his moves at night, under cover.

The postmaster read her a letter from a woman in Englewood, Calif., who was trying to locate a sister she had not seen in 30 years.

The sister was Mrs. Hill. Mrs. Hill, a widow, said that the family had assumed that her sister, Mrs. Ford Mount and the former Florinina Garlas, was one of 20 persons who died in a hotel fire in Tyler, Tex., in 1927.

## Doctor Cites Insane Sex Preoccupation

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE AP Science Reporter

ST. LOUIS (AP)—The almost insane sex preoccupation in America is confusing and disturbing children, Dr. Goodrich C. Schouffler, Portland, Ore., gynecologist, declared today.

He called on parents, doctors and other citizens to change our distorted American sex perspective.

Speaking about sex education to the American Academy of General Practice, Dr. Schouffler said:

Our young girls today, at the age of five first perception, are confronted with the whole tree instead of the tips of the roots.

It was not like this in our childhood. This is not entirely due to the delinquency of parents or educators, but is the direct result of our present-day almost insane sex preoccupation.

Our children climb the tree of knowledge eagerly, but they cannot distinguish the rotten branches. They fall and are bruised.

It is our particular job as physicians to attempt to patch

## U. S., Czech Couple Do It All Over

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, (UPI)—Olympic champions Olga Connolly and Olga Fikotova were married three times over today in the biggest wedding this ancient city has seen since the days of the Bohemian kings.

Czechs by the uncouthed thousands boiled out into the shabby streets to shout their congratulations for the Boston boy and the Czech girl who fought for the right to marry across the Iron Curtain in one of the biggest romances of the 11-year-old Cold War.

It was almost a fist. Police were overwhelmed. Olga was in tears. And all of it as unplanned—what was to have been a simple wedding because a big international celebration and a popular demand.

them up—but beyond that, as parents and citizens, they also up to us to do something about our distorted all-American sex perspective.

Young girls today are, as a group, deeply confused and disturbed.

Children develop bizarre ideas about sex because of so much stress upon sex and sex symbols, he added.

Many know more about sex than their parents, but they are mixed up on it," he declared.

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LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

Members  
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Hope, Arkansas

Gentlemen:

We have audited the books of account and records for the  
CITY OF HOPE, ARKANSAS

for the year ended December 31, 1956, and submit our report thereon as indexed on the preceding page. Our examination consisted of a verification of bank balances and a detailed analysis of receipts and disbursements for the year under review.

We appreciate the courteous cooperation extended us during the course of the audit.

In our opinion the attached statements and schedules present fairly the cash receipts and disbursements of the city of Hope for the year ended December 31, 1956.

Yours very truly,  
R. A. Lile and Company

Little Rock, Arkansas  
January 18, 1957

## City of Hope, Arkansas

Statement of Receipts and Disbursements  
For the Year Ended December 31, 1956

Balance on Hand — January 1, 1956	16,963.65
Receipts	
Taxes and Licenses	70,093.28
Hope Water and Light Plant	95,162.70
Health Department Fees	22,752.88
Parking Meter Fees	20,924.42
Rents	466.00
Swimming Pool	5,356.37
Fines	15,241.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots	235.00
Miscellaneous	4,398.69

Total Receipts 234,630.34  
Total to Account for 251,593.99

Disbursements	
Expenses — Administrative	49,529.32
Police Department	34,191.64
Street Department	41,629.92
Fire Department	28,217.22
City Parks	6,919.73
Cemetery	4,015.03
City Garage	6,794.50
Sewer	8,238.23
Swimming Pool	4,579.76
Health Department	33,822.14
Parking Meters	3,933.68
Airport	5,703.46
Purchase of Equipment and Real Estate	13,702.66

Total Disbursements 241,277.29

Balance on Hand — December 31, 1956 10,316.70

This statement does not include Firemen's Pension Fund.

## Comments

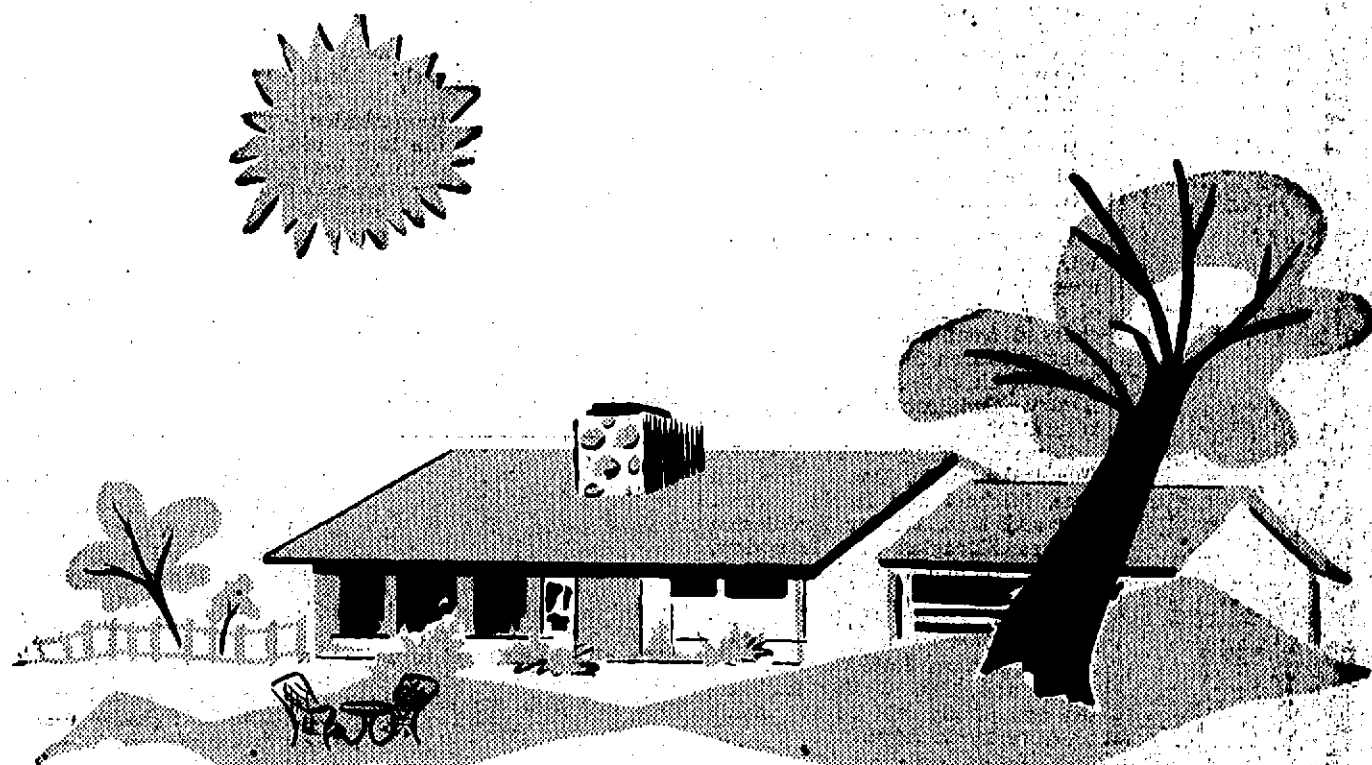
At December 31, 1956, the bond balances of the various funds were as follows:

General Fund	2,162.43
Health Fund	709.58
Parking Meter Fund	1,729.82
Airport Fund	5,687.19
Street Fund	27.68

Contingent Liabilities — the city has guaranteed the payment of notes which had balances owed at December 31, 1956, as follows:

Various Street Improvement Districts	20,818.39
Third District Livestock Show Association	7,790.57

Payments on monthly bills were current.



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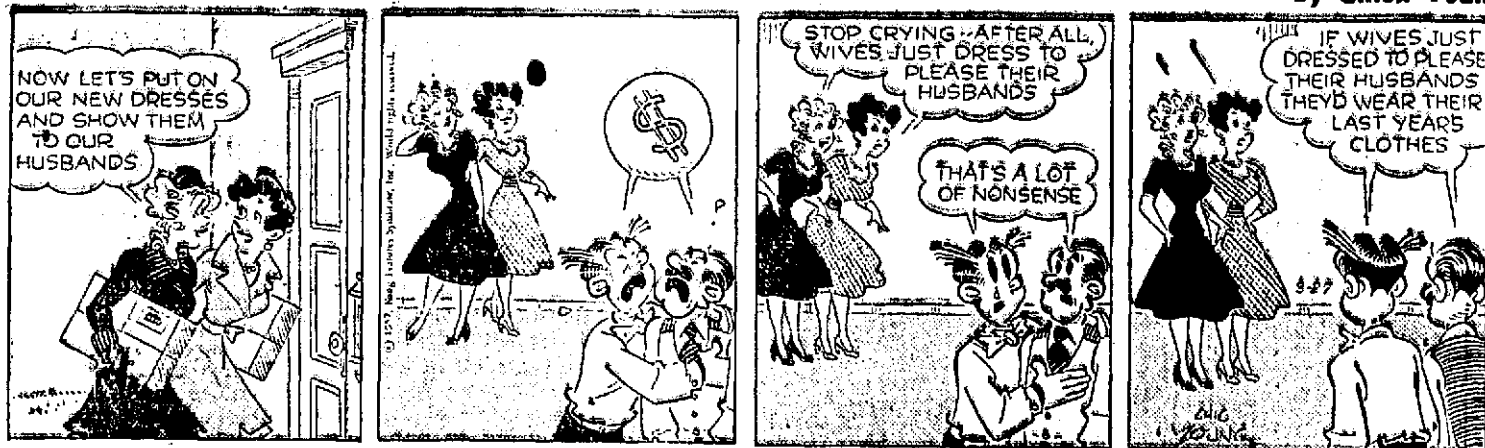
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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



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With Major Hoople



UNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



"Are you the lady in the bathtub who phoned that the water wouldn't turn off?"

SWEETIE PIE

By Nadine Schae



"Well, has he decided what he wants yet?"

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1 High mountains	1 Mimics
5 Bubbly beverage	2 Season of fast
9 Label	3 — de fole
12 High point	4 Heavenly heights
13 Bake chamber in a stove	5 The sun
14 World power (ab.)	6 Spanish city
15 Naming	7 Nick
17 "Rolling Down to"	8 Heavenly
18 Guide	9 Rehogades (ab.)
19 Everlasting	10 Continent
21 Vended	11 Prison
22 Varnish	12 Figures of speech
23 Ingredient	13 Wireless
24 Possessive pronoun	14 Falls
27 Body of water	15 Rabbit
29 Cheap lodging	16 Angered
32 High ridges	17 High teen
34 Narcotic	18 Miss Doone
36 Amend	19 Female saints
37 Cheerer	20 Level
38 British statesman	21 Withered
39 Mentally sound	22 Ringworm
41 Compass point	23 Kind of license
42 Recent	24 Attack
44 Cloy	25 Sager
46 Holds back	26 Show feeling
49 Infuse	27 Spanish painter
53 Hall	28 Fiddling
54 Watchers (2 words)	29 Roman emperor
56 Civil War general	30 Dentist's drill
57 Great Lake	31 Indians
58 Very (Fr.)	32 Essential
59 Country hotel	33 Observe
60 Part in a play	
61 Gaelic	

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"I talked back to Mom—she couldn't find her child psychology book and used her own judgment!"

SIDE GLANCES

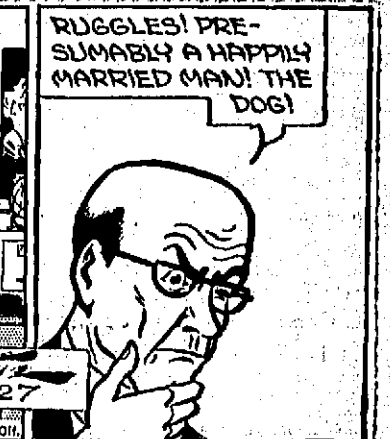
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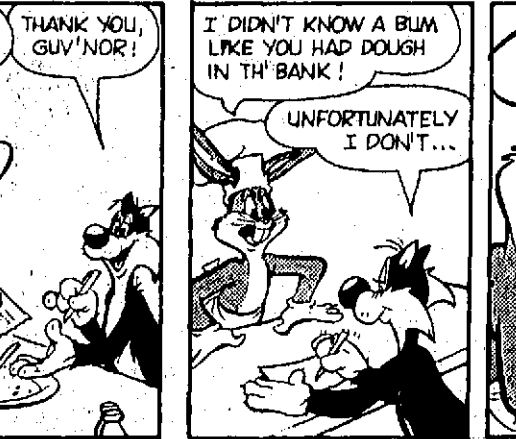
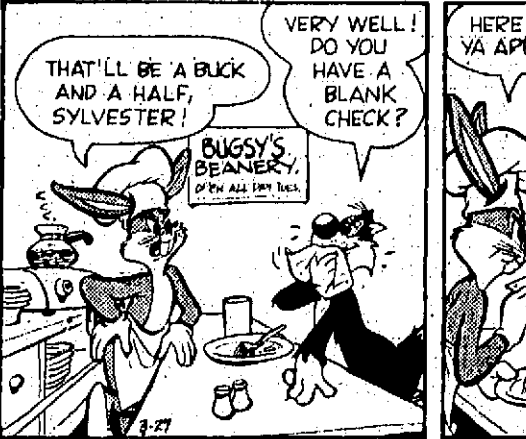
"His teacher's a good man—we've had some long talks about our own boyhood pranks since the hooky season started!"

FOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edgar Martin



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ALLEY OOP



PRISCILLA'S POP

By Al Vermeer



THE STORY OF MARTHA WAYNE





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Number of Words	One Day	Three Days	One Month
Up to 15	.45	.90	4.50
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26 to 35	.75	1.50	7.50
36 to 45	.90	1.80	9.00
46 to 55	1.05	2.10	10.50
56 to 65	1.20	2.40	12.00
66 to 75	1.35	2.70	13.50
76 to 85	1.50	3.00	15.00

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Hanked No. 6 among middleweights by Ring magazine, Giardello has won his last seven fights and has a record of 67-13-5.

Vaughn, 24, is the west coast 160-pound champion but is not rated among the top 10 middleweights. His record is 32-13-4.

Giardello 26, says his trying to run up a big victory string to prove he is a logical choice for a title bout with the winner of the Gene Fullmer-Sugar Ray Robinson championship fight.

Vaughn, who lacks the experience of his opponent, says he is determined to defeat Giardello tonight, hoping to get a higher rating.

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## Kuenn Serving Notice for Bat Title This Year

By FRED DOWN  
United Press Sports Writer

Harvey Kuenn is serving sharp notice this spring that he may be the man to beat for the American League batting title.

The experts have been forecasting a battle among Ted Williams, Mickey Mantle and Al Kaline, but the 26-year-old Kuenn looks like he's geared for a fast start that could leave 'em all far behind.

He's batting the ball at a 404 clip, has hit in 10 straight games and connected safely in all but one of the 15 games he's played.

Kuenn enjoyed his best day of the spring yesterday when he drove in five runs with a homer, two doubles and a single to lead the Detroit Tigers to an 8-4 victory over the Cincinnati Reds.

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## ARKANSAS HOPEFUL



Hot Springs—Arkansas bred Bonjo (above) looms as one of the hopefuls in the Arkansas Derby March 30. He is owned by Dave Ferguson, who has the Glendale Farm near Arkadelphia. Rider here is superstitious Howard Craig, who averted his head in an effort to avoid the "camera jinx".

## Ouachita Courageously Fought Odds--But Lost

DENVER (AP) — Short on rest, height and talent, Ouachita (Ark.) Baptist College made up for all its shortcomings in heart.

The spunky collegians traveled more than 1,000 miles, were snowbound for three days, slept in cars and literally were lost to the world before keeping their date for the National AAU Basketball tournament.

And when they did arrive, the little Arkansas Tigers ran into one of the tourney favorites, the Army All-Stars. The score was 107-76.

We pulled into Denver just before 8 o'clock (p.m. MST), as weary a bunch of boys as you'll ever see, said Coach Bill Vining.

Quachitas (9:30 p.m. MST) game actually had been declared forfeited to the Army when tourney officials confessed they had no idea what had happened to the Arkansas team.

The truth was, said Vining, we couldn't get near a telephone that worked. They'd all been knocked out by the weekend storm. There we were, stranded at Pratt, Kan., in the middle of 15-foot snowdrifts.

We started out in three private cars this morning, determined to go as far as we could. We made it, through all 40 miles of it. And then we ran into the All-Stars.

Frankly, I'm surprised the kids did as well as they did. Their eyes were so red from lack of sleep I'm surprised they could see the basket.

The team expects to return to Arkansas tomorrow.

LONDON, (UP) — Duncan McGowan, 18, learned today that his grandmother left him \$1,000 pounds (\$2,800) — provided he doesn't take a drink for the next three years.

LONDON, (UP) — New British film censor John Nicholas has ordered London's Royal Censor to stop displaying nude photographs of French film star Brigitte Bardot on the ground that they have nothing to do with the film.

The scenes they illustrate in the film titled And Woman Was Created were cut out by French and British censors.

PARIS, (UP) — Jean Thomas, assistant director general of the United Nations Educational, Social and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) said today Hungary has agreed to accept U. N. emergency education aid and to receive a U. N. group to study the best way of supplying the aid.

BERLIN, (UP) — A storm of protest from Berliners has saved the bombed-out steeple of the famous Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial church. Church officials yesterday re-voked last week's decision to have the church ruin torn down to make room for a new modernistic church building. Instead, they will retain the steeple and erect a new church next to it on Kurfursten-damm, Berlin's Broadway.

WASHINGTON, (INS) — President Eisenhower today nominated Gen. Nathan F. Twining to become chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and reshuffled the top Pentagon posts.